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In re the application of:

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For: ESTROGENIC ESTRA-1,3,5(10)-TRIENES WITH DIFFERENTIAL EFFECTS ON THE ALPHA AND BETA ESTROGEN RECEPTORS, HAVING A LINEAR HYDROCARCBON CHAIN OF FROM 5-9 CARBON ATOMS AT POSITION 11

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313 July 30, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 30, 2004, the period for response having been extended three months to July 30, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.



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